EULOGY

MR. L. E. SMITH

Written by N. R. Featherston

When the Heavenly Father was ready for ... another of His true followers, He visited the home of Mr. Smith. That deep sorrow which is always caused by the removal of a loved one, caused grief, not only to the family, but to all who knew him. He was in the mercantile business here the greater part of his life, and his friends were "all", his enemies "none." While his family and friends were deeply grieved at his passing, the great pressure was somewhat relieved by their vividly remembering his past life as a loving husband and father and loyal friend. He was one of the leading and influencial citizens of the county. For a number of years commissioner of the revenue and later member of the board of supervisors of the county; very popular in both offices. After retiring from active business, spent the remainder of his life at his home, enjoying home life among his loved ones and friends. Very few weeks passed that he was not seen on the street, greeting his friends with a gentle smile and cordial hand-shake, a trait he wore through life. He is greatly missed on the streets by his many friends. The empty pew which he filled so long at old Liberty Church, is saddened by his departure. At the time of his passing, he was senior deacon in the church and one of its leading members. While the whole community was deeply saddened at the loss of this beloved citizen, the Heavenly Angels rejoiced at being able to bear another soul to the Saviour, for Him to say, "Well done good and faithful servant."

Sanders urges rural citizens to demand equal health service.

Peat lires rage in Dismal Swamp.

Uncle Sam Says

This is the time of year when the "shop early for Christmas" signs begin to take on meaning which will grow day by day until the happy day actually is here. You could do no better than to put savings bonds at the top of your gift list for someone in your own family circle or a dear friend. U. S. Savings Bonds are truly the gift that is thrice blessed—when it is given, when it is received and when it matures 10 years hence at the rate of $4 for every $3 invested.

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Occupation Wives in Tokyo Have It Easy

No Servant Problem to Keep 'Em Awake at Night.

TOKYO. — Tokyo has no servant problem. Half a million Japanese are unemployed and the U. S. army will help you get a new maid if the old one wants too many nights out.

This is one reason why a lot of occupation wives would rather live here than back home for the time being. Throw in the fact that the army does their house-hunting for them and you begin to get their point of view.

"Of course, there are problems," a billeting officer said. "The single people claim the married ones have the best deal. And the married ones want American plumbing instead of the kind that is made in Japan."

The biggest complaints come from those living in billets. They complain about the lack of privacy and about having to live two or more to a room.

Headquarters claims that the facilities for Americans are as good as or better than those in any other overseas operation. They are proud of advantages they claim over housing facilities in Germany.

Today there are 1,400 officers and 490 civilians with dependents housed in former Jap homes, hotels and converted office buildings, or new low-cost-housing units.

In addition there are 900 officers, 900 WACs and civilian women employees and 2,200 male civilian workers assigned to billets. Enlisted men live in various types of barracks.

Civilian employees with dependents can rent houses and apartments on an equal basis with officers. Rentals, based on pay scales, range from $15 to $100.50 per month.

Military rates run from $60 to $105 a month. Bachelor billets cost $2 to $28 a month.

The rent includes servants, fuel, lights and water. Food from army commissaries is extra.

Generally speaking, a cook and housekeeper go with each house in the low-cost-housing centers and with each dependent apartment.

Billets are run much like hotels, with room boys assigned to each room.

Cuckoo Quiz

'Yellow Jack,' Hero of Spanish-American War, Dead

WASHINGTON.—The secret service decided reluctantly that Pvt. Wallace W. Forbes, "Yellow Jack" hero of the Spanish-American war, is dead. It gave up its 18-year search for him.

And it concluded that Pvt. Forbes never will see the gold medal voted him by congress or receive the $30,000 in pension money he has coming.

Forbes, a native of Galesburg, Ill., was stationed at Camp Lazer, Havana, Cuba, in 1901 when Maj. Walter Reed asked for volunteers to test his theory that yellow fever was carried by mosquitoes. Forbes and 19 other soldiers responded. The guinea pigs were infected and three of them died within a few days. The others became violently ill, but survived.

National Guard strength in Virginia reaches 2,800.

See us for "Posted" signs.

TEEN-AGE TRIUMPHS By Stookie Allen

EXERCISE GAL
Katina Colomara
TEEN-AGERS ARE MAKING GOOD IN MANY STRANGE PROFESSIONS THESE DAYS.
PERT "TINA" COLOMARA LOVES HORSES. SHE HAS A JOB TAKING CARE OF THE LOUIS PRIMA STRING OF RACERS.
EVEN THE JOCKEYS ADMIT THAT THIS GIRL CAN RIDE WITH THE BEST OF THEM. "TINA" PLANS TO BE A GREAT TRAINER SOME DAY.
Stookie Allen

Raise Crops on Solid Concrete

New Agricultural Science Proves Successful on First Trials.

MIAMI, FLA.—Dr. G. J. Gerson, a local optometrist, and his fellow hydroponists are raising valuable farm crops on solid concrete.

Gerson is one of the pioneers in the new agricultural science of hydroponics. On one acre of concrete troughs, with the aid of test tubes, chemicals and an elementary knowledge of plumbing, he raised 18 times the crop that old-fashioned farmers managed to wrestle from a plot of ground the same size.

Hydroponics, which is sprouting into a heavy-weight contender in Florida's half-billion-dollar produce market, is known as "chemiculture" or "tank farming."

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With chemicals measured precisely by delicate instruments, the hydroponist makes a liquid facsimile of mother earth—going her one better—and feeds the resulting milky liquid to plants embedded in cinders, sawdust or gravel, held in concrete troughs four by 100 feet, and slightly more than ankle high.

The results are astounding. On Gerson's one-acre Miami tank farm, managed for him by an ex-G.I., cucumbers grow to maturity in just 90 days. At other hydroponic centers, tomatoes are ready for the table in 60 days and other vegetables ripen in equally amazing "blitz" seasons. All are superior in quality and bring better prices than earth-bred vegetables.

This agricultural miracle takes place three times a year on "farms" that bear a greater resemblance to the weird jumble of machinery in a petroleum cracking plant than to the old homestead where Grandpa was born.

In a concrete block laboratory on Gerson's place (just a short bus ride from the garish night clubs of Miami Beach) white-coated technicians mix the life-giving chemicals painstakingly with delicate apothecary scales.

Cucumbers Thrive.

Outside, instead of mooing cows and windmills, one sees a double row of the long concrete troughs surmounted by a maze of wires and pipes.

These are the "fields." Twice daily, at the turn of a cartwheel valve, the liquid feed courses along underground conduits and through the gravel in the troughs, bathing the roots of the plants.

Gerson's favorite crop right now is cucumbers, a "burpless" variety by description. His preference for cukes is scientific—spelled with a $. Super-cucumbers, he says, are sold to the quality trade at premium prices.

Gerson says the risk in tank farming is small.

"There are no plant diseases to worry about," says the bespectacled optometrist, "and for another thing the sun shines here most of the year."

The rare times when it doesn't and the temperature drops dangerously close to freezing Gerson acts promptly.

He puts on a jacket, then twists the valve controlling the deep well on his place. The water warmed down in the earth to 75 degrees, mixes with the cold surface air on the way up. As it flows around the shivering plants it forms a vapor that proves as efficient a warmer as a fur coat on a blonde.

Next Tuesday, November 4, is general election day in Virginia.

Bank group to propose curbs on credit.

Police crush communist rioting in Paris.

Hitchhiker Says Thanks For Ride With Orchids

OCEAN CITY, N. J. — Driving home to Philadelphia from this seashore resort, U. S. Attorney Gerald A. Gleeson gave a ride to a man carrying a lunch pail.

When they pulled up at the man's home, the hitchhiker opened up the pail and gave Gleeson two beautiful orchids.

"Here, give these to the Missus," he said, explaining he works at an orchid farm and always carries some blossoms to show his appreciation for a ride.

Rocks News

Rocks, Oct. 27.- Farmers are busy sowing wheat.

Little Charlene Ranson, who was sick last week, is able to return to school.

Robert Roach and Edward Ranson went to Lynchburg Tuesday.

John Chernault, of Brookneal, spent the week-end recently with his daughter, Mrs. Dave Goin.

Mrs. D. R. Inge went to Appomattox last Monday to see a doctor.

S. E. McGee and James Taylor have been working in Lynchburg a few days.

Thomas Ranson is in Richmond having his tonsils removed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Ransone Jr. and son, Tommy, of Norfolk arrived Saturday afternoon to visit her mother, Mrs. D. R. Inge for a few days.

Toby Inge and J. Palmer Ransone called in the home of C. S. Ranson Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Martin and daughter, Donna Lee, of Maryland, spent a few days in the neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ransom, Mrs. Bob Adkinson and Miss Dorothy Ranson, of Norfolk spent Sunday night in the home of Mrs. W. F. Ranson.

Mrs. Ed Roach and Rodney Roach went down in Charlotte Sunday visiting Mrs. Lulla Fallen.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Ranson and Charlene were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ranson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Almond and children, Virginia Dare and Joe, spent Sunday in Farmville with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Almond.

Friends were shocked to hear of the death of their friend and neighborhood, J. A. Garrett, who passed away Saturday night. Deepest sympathy is extended to his wife and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Purcell Hamlett and children spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dickerson.

Cassie Baldwin spent Friday night with Mrs. W. F. Ranson and Mrs. Jim Frank Ranson.

The deacons met Saturday night to fix the church budget for 1948.

Quite a large crowd gathered at Rocks Church this afternoon for the funeral of J. A. Garrett.

Russia demands representatives of Korea be heard by UN Assembly before voting on independence.

Byrd says 8.6 per cent of U. S. food being sent abroad.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Sam's a Matrimony Expert

Sam Abernathy never intended to be a matrimony expert, but he hit the nail on the head the other day when he said:

"What marriage really needs is more open minds and a lot fewer open mouths."

Sam may not think much of his missus' choice of hats or her habit of serving watercress and cream cheese salad. But he keeps his mouth shut (I mean, he just uses it to eat the salad). And the missus never criticizes Sam's affection for that worn-out chair before the fire, and his mellow glass of beer and pipe at the end of a long day.

From where I sit, that prescription would apply to most human relationships. Criticism rarely rouses anything but resentment. But an open mind—whether it's applied to a woman's choice of hats, or a husband's preference for a pipe and a moderate glass of beer or two—leads to the conclusion that there's right on both sides.

Joe Marsh

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Ilixburg

Ilixburg, Oct. 27.- Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Sears called in the home of J. E. Wilson Sunday P. M. Othe called there were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Marshall.

Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Moore were dinner guests of Capt. and Mrs. Covington recently. They called in the home of Mrs. J. B. Wilson also.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Carson spent the past week-end with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Coke Carson, of Richmond.

The past week-end Mrs. B. G. Grinstead, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Carson and John, and N. R. Featherston went on the Skyline Drive, to Natural Bridge, Lexington and Monticello.

Mr. and Mrs E. M. Sears visited Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sears in Charlotte Sunday.

Mrs. J. R. Marshall and Mrs. B. G Grinstead attended Achievement Day Program Thursday for Prince Edward County, in Farmville, and heard Mrs. Yates, who has recently returned from Holland as a delegate from Virginia. Mrs. C. B Carson was on the program.

Bruce Fisher, Senior at the Seminary in Richmond, will preach at Appomattox Presbyterian Church at 11 A. M., Sunday, November 2nd, instead of Hixburg Church as announced. Everyone invited.

Beverly Hills

Beverly Hills, Oct. 27.- Mr. and Mrs. Walker Thornhill and two children, of Lynchburg spent the week-end with W. W. Thornhill and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Martin, all of Lynchburg were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Reynolds.

One Chapter of the Womans' Missionary Union of the Liberty Chapel Church met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Lewis Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Kidd and two sons spent the week-end with Mrs. Kidd's mother, Mrs. W. A. Scruggs.

Miss Riley Moore, of Lynchburg and Miss Estelle Moore, of Roanoke visited with their father and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gunter, of Roanoke spent the weel-end visiting relatives in the neighborhood.

The military funeral for Lee Childress held Saturday afternoon, was attended by everyone in the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Coleman announce the birth of a baby, born at Virginia Baptist Hospital last week.

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Cuckoo Quiz

Rocks News

Rocks, Oct. 27.- Farmers are busy shucking corn.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Tolley, of near Chase City called to see Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Ranson awhile last Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Gow and Mrs. Fannie Hoover, of Battle Creek, Mich. who spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Roach, left Monday for their home.

Mrs. Virginia Martin, of Pamplin called in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Taylor one afternoon last week.

Rocks Home Demonstration Club was represented at the leaders' meeting at Appomattox Wednesday.

Mrs. Harry Ranson and children accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Jim Frank Ranson to Lynchburg Thursday.

Little Mary Willis Ranson spent Thursday with Ann and Eleanor Ranson.

Friends were sorry to hear of Mrs. Rosa Jennings, at Evergreen. Quite a number from Rocks attended her funeral Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Evans, of Charlotte Court House called to see Mr. and Mrs. Jim Frank Ranson awhile Friday night.

Mrs. W. F. Ranson spent the week-end at Amherst with her sister, Mrs. Betty Tolley, who was ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ranson and children went to Amherst Sunday to see Mrs. Betty Tolley.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Dickerson, of Madison Heights attended Sunday School and preaching at Rocks last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Dickerson and son, Danny, were in the neighborhood Sunday.

Mrs. A. T. Anderson celebrated her birthday last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Toby Inge spent the week-end in Richmond celebrating their fifth wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Inge, of Farmville spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. D. R. Inge.

Mrs. Glenn S. Martin and son were at Rocks Sunday. Friends were glad to see them.

The Rev. and Mrs. C. G. Carter were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Holmsey Inge at Appomattox Sunday.

Benes urges cooperation between East and West.

Royal couple plan an English honeymoon.

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Mrs. Goering's trial is held up for witnesses.

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